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Serial No. 08/486,069 Group Art Unit: 1631

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Title: NUCLEIC ACID SEQUENCING PROCESSES USING MODIFIED NUCLEOTIDES OR LABELED NUCLEOTIDE ANALOGS, AND OTHER PROCESSES FOR NUCLEIC ACID DETECTION AND CHROMOSOMAL CHARACTERIZATION USING SUCH MODIFIED OR LABELED NUCLEOTIDES OR NUCLEOTIDE ANALOGS

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment For Purpose Of Claim Consolidation To Submit Clean Set Or Version Of All Pending Claims in the above-identified patent application.

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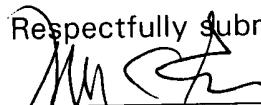
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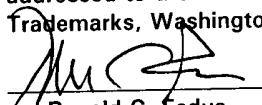
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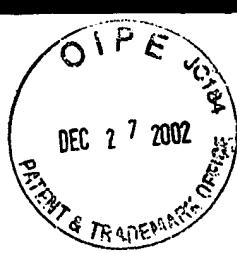
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**AMENDMENT FOR THE PURPOSE OF CLAIM CONSOLIDATION  
TO SUBMIT CLEAN SET OR VERSION OF ALL PENDING CLAIMS  
(FOLLOWING APPLICANTS' OCTOBER 11, 2002 SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT)**

Dear Sirs:

This is an Amendment For The Purpose Of Claim Consolidation, and it follows Applicants' October 11, 2002 Supplemental Amendment. It is believed that no extension request or fee is due in connection with this paper. Accordingly, this Amendment is being timely filed.

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